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Application No.: 10/787,116  
Filed: Feb. 27, 2004  
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Examiner: Rehana Perveen

For: EXTERNAL STORAGE DEVICE AND METHOD OF ACCESSING SAME

Petition For Amendment Of Submitted Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir,

In submitted Amendment/Response sent on Sep. 1, 2004 which is to Office Action dated June 28, 2004, please substitute the sheet of "Information Disclosure Statement by Applicant" as attached sheet to add U.S. Patent Documents.

The additional documents in the attached IDS shows a system having multiplexed transfer of address/data to memories as in "80186/80188 Intel User's Manual" and U.S. Patent 5,249,160 to Wu et al. in prior submitted IDS.

Applicant respectfully submits that the additional documents are taken into Examiner's favorable consideration. The additional documents in the attached IDS would be desirable to be placed in Notice of Reference Cited.

Respectfully submitted,

Tadahiko Hisano

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1 sheet of Information Disclosure Statement

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